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WORK.

Office and yard No. 21 North Union St. Factory
Nos. 13 and 15 North Lee St., Alexandria, Va.
No charge for delivery in city. Jan 28

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
J. C. MILBURN,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN
FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES.

PROPRIETORS OF
POTOMAC BRAND OF FLOUR,
dec 26 Which is unexcelled.

W. A. SMOOT & CO.,
Coal, Salt and Plaster,

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Office—Smoother's Wharf.

Special attention paid to forwarding.
CHARLES KING & SON.

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217-223 NORTH LEE STREET,
(Opposite Hill's Cracker Factory)

SOLE AGENTS FOR SATISFACTION TO
BACCO and HAZARD POWDER. oct 26

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
and PURE OLD RYE, OLD WHISKY, and
MONOGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and
THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which
they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall
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Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Pro-
duce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest
market prices and prompt returns.

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inquire at company's office on the wharf.

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Connecting at Norfolk with the OLD
DOMINION STEAMSHIP CO. FOR
NEW YORK, and with the CLYDE LINE FOR
PHILADELPHIA, and via these lines to all
points North and East.

STEAMER
LADY OF THE LAKE
Leaves TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SUNDAY
at 5:30 p. m., from Reed's wharf.

For further information apply to
nov 18 **F. A. REED & CO., Agents.**

PEARDELEY'S SHREDDED CODFISH in one
pound boxes. One pound of this fish is equal
to two pounds of boneless cod. Can be prepared in
fifteen minutes. For sale by
jan 15 **GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.**

SHAD ROE AT RETAIL, 10c per lb. at
feb 13 **MCBURNEY'S.**

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resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of
public concern, will only be printed in this paper as
advertisements.

[Rules of the Postoffice, Alexandria, Virginia, as
second-class matter.]

Bullion in a Creek.

A dispatch from Paris, Texas, says: "The
publication of the story of the discovery of
the old Spanish fort on Red river has developed
a still more interesting tradition than has
hitherto been published. It is a most
interesting chapter of the early history of
this section. The narrator of the tale is
Col. Mort Raydale, of this city, who is now
75 years old, and who came to this country
with his parents more than seventy years
ago. He says that in 1815 a party of forty
men left Alexandria, La., with a caravan of
mules loaded with goods, and went to the
newly discovered gold field at Santa Fe, N. M.

These goods were sold at fabulous
prices, and the party started back to Louisi-
ana with eleven mules loaded with gold in
the latter part of the summer of 1816. They
were coming down the north side of the Red
river, as what was known as the Santa Fe
trail followed that stream. Near Lake West,
about forty miles northwest of here, they
were attacked by Comanches. Being out-
numbered, they threw bullion into a creek
and crossed to this side of the river. They
camped at the mouth of Red Branch,
twenty-three miles northeast of here, where
they were again attacked, and all killed ex-
cept three men, one of whom was a Mexi-
can. On their way to Alexandria one of the
men died from hardship and exposure. The
other reached the home of his uncle, who
on the Rapides river, but died in a short
time. The Mexican is supposed to have
made his way back to Mexico. Before his
death the young man gave his uncle the particu-
lars of the battle and a diagram covering the
place where the gold had been thrown
into the creek. Years afterward the uncle
went up the river and hunted for the place,
but was unable to find it. He told the story
to Colonel Raydale and gave him the diagram.
The place where the battle was fought
was found. Large numbers of human
bones were there, and at various times
gun barrels have been picked up on the spot.

All of them, except one had the muzz-
le battered and had otherwise been broken
by the Indians. None of them were loaded,
which confirms the young man's story, that
they held the Indians at bay until their am-
munition was exhausted. On the opposite
side of the river, a few miles away, two
more gun barrels of the same kind were
found in the same condition. Just before
the war a Mexican gentleman came to Paris
who said he was a nephew of the survivor
of the massacre. He employed a Mexican
named Pedro, who lived here, to go with
him to the territory to look it up, as he supposed,
for the lost bullion. In a few days Pedro
came back with the Mexican's horse and
plato. It was then said that there was no
doubt but that Pedro murdered his country-
man, but there was no proof of it. The
pistol was worn during his service in the
Confederate army by Captain Milton Webb,
of this city. At various times different peo-
ple have looked for the treasure in a desul-
tory way, but no protracted or systematic
search has ever been made. The early set-
tlers, who were so familiar with the story of
the lost treasure, were too busily engaged
in the struggle for existence to devote any
time to looking for something that there
was nothing definite about. There is no
doubt about the party of Louisiana traders
being lost, but who they were is not known,
for no one here remembers any of their names."

THEY WANTED TO LYNCH HIM.—A young man
about 23 years of age, who is closely allied to some
of the first families of Pittsburg, has for some time
past been employed as a clerk at Millville. He is
educated, and mingled with the best society of the
borough. He was a great favorite with the fair
sex, especially the younger element. His employ-
ment made it necessary for him to be where he
could be found at any time during the night, and
he was therefore compelled to sleep in the rear of
the store where he was employed. An investiga-
tion revealed the fact that the confidence of at least
ten girls was abused by him. As soon as the
parents learned of this state of affairs a further in-
vestigation was instituted, it is said with the result
of more startling discoveries. A rope and noose
were secured, and a large crowd of citizens repaired
to the store late Wednesday night for the pur-
pose of hanging the clerk. They swore vengeance,
and would have made short work of the young man
had he not got wind of their intention, and a few
minutes before the mob's arrival made good his
escape by taking a skiff and rowing across the
river. The mothers of one of the wronged girls
are said to have led the lynching party.

Sight Restored.

Mr. A. K. Hawkes: Dear Sir—About
one year ago my sight began to fail, with
the usual symptoms, viz: after reading for a
short time my eyes became confused and
there seemed to be a dimness before them,
also accompanied with pains in the eye ball.
Being satisfied that glasses were imperative-
ly demanded, applied to you for them, and
I am happy to say, with wonderful re-
sults, for after having worn your crystal-
lized lenses for a short time my eyes re-
gained their accustomed strength, and I can
now read the finest print for hours with
perfect ease without glasses.

P. S. SPILLER,
Clerk in Land Office.

For sale by L. Stebler & Co., druggists,
Alexandria Va

Bucklen's Arnica Salve
THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises,
Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter,
Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin
Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay
required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satis-
faction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for
children teething, is the prescription of one of the
best female nurses and physicians in the United
States, and has been used for forty years with
never-failing success by millions of mothers for
their children. During the process of teething
its value is incalculable. It relieves the child
from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhea, griping
in the bowels and wind-colic. By giving health
to the child it assists the mother. Price 25 cents a
bottle.

AUCTION SALES.

By E. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed by
William H. Gray and wife, bearing date on the
14th day of November, 1888, and recorded in Liber
No. 21, page 78, one of the land records of the
city of Alexandria, Va., and at the request of the
holder of the note secured thereby, the undersig-
ned, trustee will sell at public auction, in front of
the Royal street entrance to the Market Build-
ing, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock
noon SATURDAY, March 22, 1890, the following
described property in the city of Alexandria,
Virginia, to-wit:

All those TWO LOTS OF GROUND, with the
IMPROVEMENTS thereon, bounded as follows:
viz: Beginning at a point on the east side of Roy-
al street twenty-five feet south of the center of the
square between Cameron and Queen streets, and
running thence north on Royal st. fifty-nine feet
one inch; thence east parallel to Queen street one
hundred and twenty-three feet five inches; thence
south parallel to Royal street fifty-nine feet one
inch; thence west parallel to Queen street one
hundred and twenty-three feet five inches to the
beginning, together with all the appurtenances
thereto belonging. The said property is improved
by a THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE.

Terms of Sale: One half in cash, and the residue
in two equal payments at six and twelve months
from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be
evidenced by the notes of the purchaser, with a
good endorser, and to bear interest from date at
six per centum per annum and secured by a deed
of trust upon the property. All conveying at the
cost of purchaser. A deposit of one hundred dol-
lars required when the property is struck off.

WALTER HALL, Trustee.

FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of
the Market Building, Fairfax street, in Alex-
andria, Va., MARCH 22, 1890, at 12 o'clock
noon, ONE-EIGHTH OF THE THREE-MASTED
SCHOONER JAMES B. OGDEN, carrying cap-
acity eleven hundred tons, built at Alexandria,
Va., in 1880, and rated A1, hailing from the port
of New York. Reason for selling, to wind up the
affairs of the late Alexandria Marine Railway and
Shipbuilding Company.

By order of the Board of Directors.
mh 6 ts **J. SCHNEIDER, Secretary.**

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT—The TWO FRAME DWELLINGS
No. 419 and 433 North Columbus street; 6
rooms and bath. Possession given March 15th.
Both houses new and very desirable. Apply at
427 North Columbus street. mh 1 ts

FOR SALE OR RENT.

I have for sale or rent
FOUR DWELLING HOUSES
AND
SEVERAL BUILDING LOTS.

Also FISH HOUSE and OUTFIT, with a cap-
acity for striking 200,000 fish. The latter is a
good opportunity for any one desiring to engage
in the fish business.
feb 27 tspl **WM. H. SMITH, City Sergeant.**

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE RESI-
DENCE, ten rooms, in excellent repair, heat-
ed by furnace in cellar, but arranged to use stoves
if desired; gas throughout the house, hot and
cold water in kitchen and bath; location east
side of Fairfax street, between Wolfe and Wilkes;
price \$2,300. Also a LOT in N. E. Washington.
For further particulars inquire at 408 South Fair-
fax street. feb 4 ts

FOR RENT.

THE FRAME HOUSE
No. 413 South Lee street. The house is in per-
fect order, and to a good tenant the rent will be
low. Apply at
feb 1 ts **504 PRINCE STREET.**

FOR SALE.

TWO NEW AND CONVENIENT BRICK
HOUSES, Nos. 413 and 415 North St. Asaph
street, containing six rooms and a bath room
each, with good yards. Apply to
john s. beach,
sep 19 ts **423 North St. Asaph street.**

FOR RENT—THE THREE STORY BRICK
WAREHOUSE No. 113 King street, recently
occupied by C. S. Taylor, Jr. Possession given
immediately. Apply to
aug 19 **C. C. SMOOT & SONS.**

FOR RENT.

THIRTY ACRES OF LAND.
Lying immediately in front of the Theological
Seminary, adjoining the farm of Wm. Claybrook.
Apply at this office. sep 15 ts

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—THREE SMALL SHOW CASES at
mh 1 w **N. E. Cor. King and Washington sts.**

TOBACCO.

DILL'S BEST

An old-time acquaintance, a particular friend of
mine,
is DILL'S BEST TOBACCO, the BEST you can
find.

Always the same, this OLD RELIABLE FRIEND,
Giving comfort and solace from beginning to end.
As handsome as a dream, excellent in taste,
Adorned, as usual, with three tags on its face.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO
OUR OTHER LEADING BRANDS:

Exposition, Lunch, Cut-Plug Smoking.

For sale in Alexandria by
CHARLES KING & SON,
217-223 NORTH LEE STREET.

Factory—2020 East Franklin street, Richmond,
Va. mh 3 cc 3m

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

DYSON'S LITTLE STORE
IS A
Bookstore,
508 King Street, Next to the Opera House

REWARD OF FIFTY DOLLARS
Will be paid by the
INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY OF FAIRFAX COUNTY
for the arrest and conviction of the person or per-
sons who fired the barn of F. Beatty, of Fairfax
county, on February 17th.
feb 22 w **C. LUKENS, President.**

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE, LATE
THE PROPERTY OF WM. N. McVEIGH,
DECEASED.

Under authority conferred by the will of Wil-
liam N. McVeigh, late of the city of Alexandria,
Virginia, deceased, the undersigned, as executor,
will offer at public auction, at 12 m. on
SATURDAY, THE 15th DAY OF MARCH, 1890,
at the Fairfax street entrance to the Corporation
Courtroom of said city, the following described
real estate, in and near said city, of which the
said McVeigh died seized.

(1) SQUARE OF GROUND bounded by Col-
umbus, Alfred, Greene and Jefferson streets ex-
tended, with all streets, ways and privileges
thereunto in anywise belonging.

(2) SQUARE OF GROUND immediately to the
south of the above, bounded by Columbus, Alfred,
Greene and Church streets extended, with all ap-
purtenances and rights to the same belonging.

(3) THAT PORTION OF THE QUARTER next
south of No. 2, bounded as follows: Beginning at
the southeast corner of Alfred and Church streets,
and running thence south with Alfred street ex-
tended to South street extended; thence east with
the line of South street extended one hundred feet,
more or less, to the line formerly Phineas Janney's;
thence with that line north parallel to Alfred
street to Church street extended; thence with the
line of that street west to the beginning, with all
streets, ways and privileges thereunto in anywise
belonging.

(4) ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST
of the said McVeigh in and to the LOT OF
GROUND on the west side of Union street,
bounded as follows: Beginning at a point forty-
eight (48) feet south of Princess street, and run-
ning thence southward on Union street forty-
nine (49) feet two (2) inches; thence westward
parallel to Princess street one hundred and thirty-
eight (138) feet to Brockett's alley; thence north
on said alley forty-nine (49) feet two (2) inches;
thence eastward parallel to Princess street one
hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet to the begin-
ning.

Terms: One-third of the purchase money to be
paid in cash, one third in three months and one
third in six months, with interest; deferred pay-
ments to be secured by a deed of trust in the prop-
erty. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

S. FERGUSON BEACH,
Executor.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE COUNTY
OF ALEXANDRIA.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 8th
day of December, 1888, by Richard Morris and
wife and recorded in deed book No. 4, page 292,
in the Clerk's office of Alexandria, Virginia, the
undersigned, trustee, will offer for sale at public
auction, at the front door of the Court House of
Alexandria county, about 12 o'clock mid-day on
MONDAY, the 24th day of February, 1890
(that being court day), all that certain TRACT
OR PARCEL OF LAND, situated in the county of
Alexandria, Virginia, and containing therein
SIX ACRES and ONE EOOD, more or less, it
being the same land upon which the said Rich-
ard Morris now resides, and is distant about three
miles from the city of Washington.

Terms of Sale: Cash enough to pay the cost of ex-
ecuting this trust and the sum of \$346.25, with
interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to
be paid on the 1st day of January, 1890, and the
residue on terms to be announced on the day of
sale; the title to be withheld until all of said
purchase money, with six per cent interest, shall
have been paid.

W. W. THORNTON, Trustee.

The above sale has been postponed till
MONDAY, the 7th day of April, 1890, at the
same hour and place. feb 24 ts

Trustee's Sale of Gunston Hall.

By virtue of that certain deed of trust from
Henrietta H. Sheets and Henry H. Sheets to the
undersigned, bearing date the 12th day of April,
1887, and of record on the land records of Fair-
fax county, Va., Liber G, No. 5, folio 82, I shall,
at the request of the party created by said deed,
offer for sale on the

TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1890,
at 12 o'clock m. of said day, in front of the Market
Building, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexan-
dria, Va., the following real estate, as described
in said deed of trust:

THAT PART OF "GUNSTON HALL" situated in
Mount Vernon district, Fairfax county, Vir-
ginia, on Belvoir bay, bounded as follows: Begin-
ning at a point near low-water mark on the shore
of said bay and opposite a marked maple tree
near the bath house; thence west about 3 poles
to said maple tree, s. 24 1/2° w. 6 chains and 60
links to a dogwood tree on the hillside, s. 51 1/4°
w. 41 chains to a stake in the country road, with
said road n. 39° w. 19 chains, n. 30° w. 67 1/2°
chains, n. 18 1/2° w. 9 1/2 links to a stake at the
corner of said road, s. 80° w. 2 chains 90
links, n. 6° w. 5 chains 41 links, n. 49° e. 11
chains 30 links to a poplar tree, s. 87 1/2° e. 11
chains to a large chestnut oak on top of bluff,
containing same course about 3 chains 75 links to
the "bay" at low-water mark, and thence with the
shore 70 rods to the beginning, containing
THREE HUNDRED ACRES.

THE said Hall, once the property of George Mas-
son, the author of the Bill of Rights of Virginia,
is not less historic than that of Mount Vernon,
its near neighbor. The land is fertile, building ap-
pious, wood plenty and is well watered. It is de-
serving the attention of capitalists seeking a
pleasant country home, or profitable investment.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Michael
Bosart and wife, bearing date on the 21st day of
September, 1888, and recorded in Liber No. 20,
pages 449-451 of the land records of the city of
Alexandria, and at the request of the holder of
the notes secured thereby, the undersigned, trust-
ee, will sell at public auction, in front of the
Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in
the city of Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon, on
SATURDAY MARCH 15th, 1890.

The following described property in the city of
Alexandria, Va., to-wit:

1. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND with the
THREE STORY BRICK BUILDING and other
improvements thereon, situated on the west side
of Fairfax street, between King and Prince streets
(No. 121) in the said city of Alexandria, in front
on Fairfax street twenty (20) feet, more or less,
by one hundred and twenty (120) feet, more or
less, in depth.

2. ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND in the said
city of Alexandria, Va., described as follows: To-
wit: Beginning at a point on the east side of Fair-
fax street 122 feet 10 1/2 inches south of Gibbon
street, and running thence south with Fairfax
street 22 feet by 123 feet 5 inches in depth.

Terms of sale: One third of the purchase money
in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in six
and twelve months with interest, to be secured
by deeds of trust on the lots respectively; or all
cash at the purchaser's option. Conveyancing at
the cost of the purchaser.

feb 19 ts **R. T. LUCAS, Trustee.**

CHOICE ORANGES and LEMONS received to-
day by **J. C. MILBURN.**

DRY GOODS.

BEHOLD!

BARGAINS FOR MARCH.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

Another case of these yard-wide HENRIETTA
CLOTHS, in new, bright, spring shades. These
are a better quality than last lot, and will be sold
at 15c per yard.

500 yards SILK MOHAIR LUSTRES, in Plaids
and Spring Shades, at 25c.

200 yards better quality at 37 1/2c.

1000 yards ANDROSOGGIN 4-4 BLEACHED
MUSLIN at 6 1/2c

1000 yards do. FRUIT OF THE LOOM Se.
1500 yards FIGURED SATINES at 6 1/2c.

1000 yards FIGURED, TURKEY-RED, OIL-
ED PERCAL, warranted to wash, at 5c.

New and attractive line of WHITE GOODS just
opened. Our 10 and 15c numbers of Plaids,
Stripes and Checks cannot be beat.

A splendid assortment of MATTINGS in all
grades just arrived and selling very cheap.

D. Bendheim, 316 King street.

See Pretzfelder & Co.'s Spring Stock.

A Handsome Line of Dress Goods
IN LADIES' BROADCLOTH, SERGES, HENRIETTA CLOTHS, ETC.

BLACK GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We make a specialty of this branch of our business, and have in stock a fine assortment of Silk Warp
and all-wool Henriettas, Mohairs, Diagonals, etc.,
AT SELLING PRICES.

Our White Goods Department
Is complete in all its details. We would call particular attention to our Nainsook Checks at 5, Sand
10 cents per yard.

EMBROIDERIES CHEAPER THAN EVER.

REMNANTS.

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